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RUEHEG/AMEMBASSY CAIRO IMMEDIATE 4796
INFO RUEHIT/AMCONSUL ISTANBUL PRIORITY 3588
RUEHJA/AMEMBASSY JAKARTA 6489
RUEHDO/AMEMBASSY DOHA 1833
RUEHFSC/USOFFICE FSC CHARLESTON 4495

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SIPDIS
FSC FOR AA FROM OES
AMMAN FOR MANU BHALLA
ANKARA FOR SARA LITKE
BEIRUT FOR MEGAN MCCULLOCH AND AMY TACHCO
CAIRO FOR JOSH GOLDBERG

E.O. 12958: N/A
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SUBJECT: BUREAU AUTHORIZED FUND CITE FOR U.S. SCIENCE
ENVOY DR. AHMED ZEWAİL AND DELEGATION

REF: A. STATE 126780
[B](#). AMMAN 2799
[C](#). ANKARA 22
[D](#). BEIRUT 1366
[E](#). CAIRO 2402
[F](#). EMAILED CORRESPONDENCE

[1](#)1. THIS IS AN ACTION CABLE. SEE PARA 3.

[1](#)2. PER REFTELS, WE ARE PROVIDING OES FISCAL DATA FOR THE FIRST U.S. SCIENCE ENVOY DR. AHMED ZEWAİL AND HIS DELEGATION'S JANUARY 8 TRIP TO THE MIDDLE EAST, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7500. DR. ZEWAİL PLANS TO ARRIVE IN CAIRO JANUARY 9 AND DEPART CAIRO FEBRUARY 16 VIA DOHA FOR A QATAR FOUNDATION ANNUAL BOARD MEETING ON FEBRUARY 17. ALL FUNDS MUST BE OBLIGATED PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2010.

[1](#)3. HERE FOLLOWS FISCAL DATA FOR DR. AHMED ZEWAİL AND HIS DELEGATION.

APPROPRIATION:	190101137
ALLOTMENT:	1008
OPERATING ALLOWANCE:	100801
BUDGET FISCAL YEAR:	2010
OBLIGATION:	000345
FUNCTION CODE:	2403
BUDGET OBJECT CODE:	2589
PROJECT CODE:	N/A
PROPERTY CODE:	N/A
ORGANIZATION CODE:	029900
AMOUNT AUTHORIZED PER BOC	USD 7,500

[1](#)4. DR. ZEWAİL WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY'S DR. JASON RAO IN EGYPT AND TURKEY. ESTH HUB OFFICER MANU BHALLA WILL ACCOMPANY DR. ZEWAİL IN EGYPT, TURKEY, LEBANON, AND JORDAN.

[1](#)5. BASED ON INFORMATION FROM POSTS TO DATE, WE HAVE BUDGETED UP TO \$2000 FOR EGYPT FOR THE ENTIRE TRIP, UP TO \$1750 FOR TURKEY. UP TO \$1750 FOR LEBANON, AND UP TO \$2000 FOR JORDAN. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF THERE ARE ANY VERY SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN POST FUNDING REQUIREMENTS.

[1](#)6. FUNDING PARAMETERS WILL BE LEFT TO THE DISCRETION OF POST. DR. ZEWAİL HAS BEEN ISSUED A GRANT THAT COVERS LODGING (FOR THE ENTIRE TRIP EXCEPT BEIRUT WHERE HE WILL STAY AT THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE), PER DIEM, AND SOME EXPENSES.

¶7. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS -- FINANCIAL. EMBASSY BUDGET AND FINANCE SECTIONS (B AND F) WILL HAVE ACCESS TO AND BE ABLE TO INVOICE ALL APPROPRIATE COSTS FOR THIS TRIP TO THIS FUND CITE/FISCAL DATA. POSTS MUST SUBMIT FINAL FINANCIAL EXPENSES TO OES/STC ATTENTION: WILLIAM LAWRENCE WITH A CC TO CASSIE SULLIVAN. THE STATE DEPARTMENT POC'S FOR SCIENCE ENVOYS ARE WILLIAM LAWRENCE (LAWRENCEWA@STATE.GOV AND 202-663-2619 (W) OR 202-280-7772 (H) OR 617-605-7774 (HOUSEHOLD MOBILE)) AND CASSIE SULLIVAN (SULLIVANCC@STATE.GOV AND 202-663-3291).

¶8. OES SENDS BEST WISHES FOR SUCCESSFUL VISITS AND THANKS EMBASSY OFFICIALS FOR THEIR HARD WORK ON SHORT NOTICE OVER THE HOLIDAYS IN SUPPORT OF THIS IMPORTANT PRESIDENTIAL AND DEPARTMENTAL INITIATIVE.
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